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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

CATHY A. CATTERSON U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

GUI FONG WU,

Petitioner,

v.

IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE,

Respondent.

No. 02-72130

Agency No. A73-033-935

MEMORANDUM*

On Petition for Review of an Order of the Board of Immigration Appeals

Submitted August 11, 2003**
San Francisco, California

Before: HALL, O'SCANNLAIN, and LEAVY, Circuit Judges.

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^{**} This panel unanimously finds this case suitable for decision without oral argument. See Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2). With the Court's sua sponte submission of this case without oral argument, Petitioner's motion to submit is denied as moot.

We find no abuse of discretion. The immigration judge (IJ) found that Wu's story of her involvement in the conspiracy was not credible and found that the government agent's story was credible. The government agent testified that Wu had a supervisory role in a scheme whereby illegal aliens were forced to work as prostitutes until their smuggling fees were paid. We have no doubt that the IJ acted well within his discretion when he determined that the crime for which Wu had been convicted was "particularly serious." In re Q-T-M-T, 21 I. & N. Dec. 639 (BIA 1996).

The BIA did not violate Wu's rights under the Fifth Amendment by streamlining her appeal. <u>Carriche v. Ashcroft</u>, 2003 U.S. App. LEXIS 14057 (9th Cir. July 14, 2003).

The petition is **DENIED**.